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February 19, 2003

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Office of the Pardon Attorney
U.S. Department of Justice
500 First Street, NW, Suite 400
Washington, DC 20530

Dear Pardon Attorney:

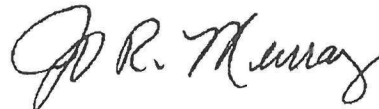
Senator Elizabeth Dole has received the attached letter from a constituent, Joe Dale Ikerd, [REDACTED], Newton, NC 28658, regarding his request for a Presidential Pardon.

It is Senator Dole's understanding that Mr. Ikerd has received recommendations [REDACTED] he has worked with over the past 13 years as well as a letter of recommendation from Assistant U.S. Attorney William A. Brafford.

Certainly, Senator Dole would appreciate your giving this matter your sincere consideration. Please correspond with Senator Dole about this matter through her Hickory Office, P. O. Box 2944, Hickory, NC 28603, (828) 322-5170 or fax (828) 322-1255.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,



Jo R. Murray, Special Assistant
Senator Elizabeth Dole

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From: "Joe D Ikerd" <[REDACTED].net>
To: <jo_murray@dole.senate.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, February 18, 2003 4:23 PM
Subject: Consideration for pardon, Re: (My 1990 conviction for selling satellite TV descramblers)

To: Senator Elizabeth Dole

From: Joe Dale Ikerd

[REDACTED]
Newton, NC 28658

Dear Senator Dole,

I am writing this letter asking again, for President Bush's consideration to pardon me from the 1990 conviction of my selling satellite TV descramblers. I have continued to obey ALL the Federal, State, and Local laws, and assist [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] I want to be able to get my Private Investigators license, and cannot without this pardon. I have never been in any other trouble in my 51 year life. The [REDACTED] I've worked with, for over 13 years now, will endorse me for [REDACTED], so I can obtain my license.

Attached with this letter is a signed statement from Assistant US Attorney, Mr. William A. Brafford, Charlotte, NC, in support of my pardon. Please help, and support me in accomplishing this career.

Sincerely,

Joe Dale Ikerd



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The Honorable Elizabeth Dole
United States Senator
Federal Office, Room 210
P.O. Box 2944
Hickory, North Carolina 28603

Dear Senator Dole:

We have received via facsimile transmission the February 19, 2003, letter from your office regarding the application for pardon of your constituent, Mr. Joe Dale Ikerd. Mr. Ikerd's application is under consideration. The processing time for a pardon application is lengthy, however, and we can give no assurance that final action will be taken by the President within a particular time frame. Your letter and the attachments have been made a part of Mr. Ikerd's clemency file. He will be notified promptly when final action has been taken on his application.

Sincerely,

Roger C. Adams

Roger C. Adams
Pardon Attorney